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BILLY HILL How I'd love to hear the organ In the chapel in the moonlight While we're strolling down the aisle Where roses entwine

How I'd love to hear you whisper In the chapel in the moonlight That the lovelight in your eyes Forever will shine

Till the roses turn to ashes Till the organ turns to rust
If you never come I'll still be there Till the moonlight turns to dust How I'd love to hear the choir In the chapel in the moonlight As they sing "Oh! Promise Me" Forever be mine.
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THE HIGH AND THE MIGHTY

NED WASHINGTON DIMITRI TIOMKIN I was high and mighty, How I laughed at love and the stars above,

Then you came like a gentle flame And helped me to find my way! I was high and mighty And I told my heart where to stop and

Now I find that I was blind, I'm learning it day by day! Love can change things, rearrange

Oh, what strange things love can do! I'm not high and mighty But I have what's worth all the gold

on earth. I have you and I give my heart Forever and ever to you, you, you! Copyright 1954 by M. Witmark & Sons

TO EV'RY GIRL TO EV'RY BOY (The Meaning Of Love) JERRY SAMUELS BARRY PARKER

To ev'ry girl, to ev'ry boy. Whose empty heart has known no joy, This emptiness is part of your love

Till you know the meaning of love. To ev'ry one who feels afraid, It's only life that's on parade And life may bring you tears, in place of glory,

Till you know the meaning of love. There may be pain, there may be misery,

All this may be, along with ecstacy, Don't think these things are far above

It's always so, when someone loves you. Your day will come, your eyes will

And you will cry, "this love is mine!" And suddenly your heart will tell you, You know the meaning of love! Copyright 1954 by Goday Music Corp.



HEY THERE

RICHARD ADLER JERRY ROSS

Hey there, you with the stars in your eyes,

Love never made a fool of you, You used to be too wise! Hey there, you on that high flying cloud,

Tho' she won't throw a crumb to you, You think someday she'll come to you; Better forget her;

Her with her nose in the air, She has you dancing on a string, Break it and she won't care! Won't you take this advice I hand you like a brother? Or are you not seeing things too clear. Are you too much in love to hear, Is it all going in one ear and out the other?

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THE MAN THAT GOT AWAY

IRA GERSHWIN HAROLD ARLEN The night is bitter, The stars have lost their glitter, The winds grow colder And suddenly you're older And all because of the man that got

No more his eager call; The writing's on the wall, The dreams you dream'd have all gone

The man that won you Has run off and undone you. That great beginning Has seen the final inning. Don't know what happened, it's all a

No more that all-time thrill, For you've been through the mill, And never a new love will be the same. Good riddance! goodbye! Ev'ry trick of his you're on to; But, fools will be fools, And where's he gone to? The road gets rougher, it's lonelier and

tougher, With hope you burn up, Tomorrow he may turn up. There's just no let-up

The live-long night and day! Ever since this world began There is nothing sadder than A one man woman looking for the

man that got away.

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THE LITTLE SHOEMAKER (Le Petit Cordonnier)
GEOFFREY PARSONS JOHN TURNER
RUDI REVIL

Feature

In the shoemaker's shop this refrain would never stop,

As he tapped away working all the day.

At his bench there was he just as busy as a bee,

Little time to lose with the boots and

But his heart went pop inside the little

When a lovely girl set him all awhirl. She had come to choose some pretty dancing shoes,

And he heard her say in a charming way.

'Shoes to set my feet a-dancing, Dancing, dancing, dancing all the day Shoes to set my feet a-dancing, dancing,

Dancing all my cares away." Then he tapped and he stitched, For his fingers were bewitched, And he sewed a dream into ev'ry seam. Making shoes oh so neat, lust like magic on her feet, And he hoped she'd know that he loved her so.

But she danced, danced, danced, As tho' she were entranced, Like a spinning top all around the shop

On her dainty feet she whirled into the street,

And he heard her say as she danced

away.

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NAPOLEON

VIC ABRAMS
There was an Emperor Napoleon Who never heard a nickelodeon But if he had, there'd have to be A little change in history Instead of goin' off to fight a war, He'd capture glory on the ballroom floor,

And you can bet your bottom sou, He'd never get to Waterloo, And when he'd put his hand inside his vest.

They all would say he looked the craziest,

And the word would spread around Throughout all of France
That Emperor Napoleon sure can dance!

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I UNDERSTAND JUST HOW YOU FEEL

I understand just how you feel. You say we're thru, what can I do? It's over now, but it was grand, I

understand. If you ever change your mind, Come back to me and you will find Me waiting there at your command, I understand.

I miss you so please believe me when I tell you.

I just can't stand to see you go, you know.

Please understand just how I feel. Your love for me, why not reveal? And we will know this time it's real, we'll understand.

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SWAY (Quien Sera)

NORMAN GIMBEL PABLO BELTRAN RUIZ When marimba rhythms start to play, Dance with me, make me sway, Like the lazy ocean hugs the shore, Hold me close, sway me more. Like a flower bending in the breeze, Bend with me, sway with ease, When we dance you have a way with

Stay with me, sway with me. Other dancers may be on the floor, Dear,

But my eyes will see only you, Only you have that magic technique, When we sway I grow weak. I can hear the sound of violins, Long before it begins, Make me thrill as only you know how, Sway me smooth, sway me now.
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SOME DAY

BRIAN HOOKER RULOLF FRIML Some day you will seek me and find

Some day of the days that shall be. Surely you will come and remind me Of a dream that is calling For you and for me. Some day when the winter is over Some day in the flush of the Spring

My soul shall discover, The soul born for her lover, The man with the heart of a King.

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(I'll Buy That Dream)
MARK HOWARD HAYWARD MORRIS Auctioneer, I'll buy that dream, I'll pay the price to get that dream, What is love but a sale Where you bid and buy, Maybe I'll fail but I'm aiming high. Auctioneer I know love's worth And if I could I'd offer the earth, But for a start, let me offer my heart. Going once, going twice, auctioneer, I'll buy that dream.
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SH-BOOM

(Life Could Be A Dream)
JAMES KEYES CLAUDE FEASTER CARL
FEASTER FLOYD F. MCRAE JAMES EDWARDS
Hey nonny ding dong alang alang alang.

Boom ba-doh, ba doo ba doo.

Life could be a dream, sh-boom, If I could take you up in Paradise up above, sh-boom.

If you would tell me I'm the only one you love,

Life could be a dream, sweetheart, Hello, hello again, sh-boom, And hopin' we'll meet again. Oh, life could be a dream, sh-boom, If only all my precious plans would come true, sh-boom.

If you would let me spend my whole life lovin' you,

Life could be a dream, sweetheart. Ev'ry time I look at you something is on my mind.

If you'd do what I want you to, Baby, we'd be so fine.

Oh, life could be a dream, sh-boom, If I could take you up in Paradise up above, sh-boom.

If you would tell me I'm the only one that you love, Life could be a dream, sweetheart.

Sh-boom sh-boom, ya da da da da Da da da da da. Sh-boom sh-boom, ya da da da da Da da da da da. Sh-boom sh-boom, ya da da da da Da da da da, sh-boom.

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I'M A FOOL TO CARE
TED DAFFAN
I'm a fool to care, when you treat me this way,

I know I love you, but what can I do I'm a fool to care; I'm a fool to cry, When you tell me goodbye,

You left me so blue when you were untrue,

I'm a fool to care.

I know I should laugh and call it a

But I know I would cry, if you went away.

I'm a fool to care, when you don't care

So why should I pretend, I'll lose in the end,

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PERIOD

JENNY LOU CARSON You're sweet, period neat, period Cute, period you're a beaut, period You've got just cert-certain thing Can't nobody doubt it. You're the girl of my dreams, No question about it You're swell, period fun, period Wise, period you're a prize, period Yes, you're a treasure to me Spelled with a capital T I love you truly, truly period.

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PERRY COMO

Remember the story of King Midas? You probably heard this old fairy tale when you were real little, but if you can't remember back to your "kid days," let's try to refresh your memory. King Midas had a golden touch; that is, everything he fingered turned to gold. Unfortunately, the story had a sad ending because the old king couldn't keep from touching everything he saw. Well, today we have another King Midas, but don't worry, kids — although everything this king touches turns to gold, the story has a real happy ending. In case you're wondering who this modern-day king is, let's cut out the mystery and just call him Perry Como.

The mere mention of a new Como record brings hordes of people rushing to the record stores to grab a copy. Disk jockeys the country over fight to be the first to play a new Como platter. Whenever the world's most famous barber makes an appearance, the picture takes on a mob scene proportion. What's the secret behind Perry's fabulous success? What really makes Como click?

You could say it's the Como style. For, Perry is one of the most relaxed members of the music fraternity. When he caresses a warm love ballad, his voice literally floats through the air. Even on an up-tempo number like "Wild Horses" the Como style stayed intact. Perry doesn't have to shout a song like so many of the younger

singers; he sings his story, and his relaxed way of selling a platter is welcomed by everybody.

Perry's voice plays a large part in his success story. His baritone range is ideal for today's tunes. His tone is full, and the timbre and pitch of his voice give him a quality that few singers can match today. Getting down to the fundamental characteristics of a good voice, Perry has clear-cut diction and pronounciation, and he doesn't have to resort to slurs and slides up and down the scale to get effects. There is no such animal as a recording gimmick, where Perry's concerned. When he goes on the record, it's all Como—not an engineer fooling with a couple of electronic buttons.

Finally, you could say it's the way Perry handles his personal life. Unlike most performers, he doesn't have to keep his name in the headlines. Perry is happily married and is the proud father of three wonderful kids whom he sees every minute that he isn't working. He is a devoted family man and keeps the family and himself out of print as much as possible. Everybody in the music game looks up to Perry as a shining example of how star performers should act when not before the public's eye.

What makes Como click? We think it's a combination of all three, plus one big extra. That extra is a young man with a golden voice. His name? Perry Como. Long may he reign.

GOODNIGHT, SWEETHEART GOODNIGHT

(Well It's Time To Go)

CALVIN CARTER JAMES HUDSON Goodnight, sweetheart, well, it's time

Goodnight, sweetheart, well, it's time to go,

I hate to leave you, but I really must

Goodnight, sweetheart, goodnight. Goodnight sweetheart, well, it's time to go,

Goodnight, sweetheart, well, it's time

I hate to leave you, but I really must

Goodnight, sweetheart, goodnight.

Well, it's three o'clock in the morning, Baby, I just can't treat you right, Well, I hate to leave you, baby, Don't mean maybe, because I love you

Goodnight sweetheart, well, it's time

Goodnight, sweetheart, well, it's time

I hate to leave you, but I really must

Goodnight, sweetheart, goodnight.

Now, my mother and my father, Might hear if I stay here too long, One kiss and we'll part,

And you'll be going, you know I hate to see you go.

Goodnight, sweetheart, well, it's time

Goodnight sweetheart, well, it's time

I hate to leave you, but I really must

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I SPOKE TOO SOON

ALICE SIMMS IRA KOSLOFF
I spoke too soon I wasn't smart I said too soon "I'm yours sweetheart" Then all at once your lips grew cold I showed my love too soon,

I'm told romance is just a game with

Each time you win then you are thru You made me cry a little, die a little, Reaching for the moon, I was a fool I spoke too soon.
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LITTLE GIRL

MADELINE HYDE FRANCIS HENRY Little girl, you're the one girl for me, Little girl, you're as sweet as can be. Just a glance at you meant love from the start,

And oh what a thrill came into my

Little girl, with your cute little ways, I am yours for the rest of my days. And this great big world will be divine.

Little girl, when you're mine, all mine. Copyright 1931, 1948 by Leeds Music Corp.

THEY WERE DOIN' THE MAMBO

DON RAYE SONNY BURKE

I went a-ridin' home down to Santa

There's been a lot of changes since I been away

I went to have a dance at the old dance

Where they were havin' a ball. They were doin' the mambo What the heck is a mambo? They were doin' the mambo While I just stood around I used to be a dance hall dandy, But it seems since I been gone There's an awful lot of changes, I don't know what's goin' on.

I looked around the place for my best gal Flo

I asked a lot of people for my best friend Joe

Nobody seemed to know where my two friends were,

Except that he was with her They were doin' the mambo Well, they called it the mambo They were doin' the mambo While I just stood around. I used to be a dance hall dandy, I knew all there was to know I knew this-a-way from that-a-way, But which way did they go?

I got a big surprise on the patio I found my gal a-huggin' with my best friend Joe,

And when they turned around And they looked my way They smiled and shouted "olay!" They were doin' the mambo Well, it looked like the mambo They were doin' the mambo While I just stood around.

I figured it was time that I took a ride But couldn't find my horse where I left him tied,

He found a little filly that he liked a lot

And you believe it, or not, They were doin' the mambo Even horses do mambo? They were doin' the mambo While I just stood around.
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HERE'S WHAT I'M HERE FOR

IRA GERSHWIN HAROLD ARLEN What am I here for? It's time you knew. Here's what I'm here for I'm here for you. Can you forgive me? Am I too late? All the years that I wandered And pondered were squandered My heart insisted I seek you out. That you existed my heart had no doubt.

To share a journey that leads to heaven's door You'll find is what I'm here for.

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Greetings HIT PARADERS:

Well, here we are with another issue of the mag—one that we think is pretty keen and hope you all enjoy. It's always a pleasure hatching new features, and we've got lots of things between the pages of the October HIT PARADER that we're sure you'll go for

First of all, we'd like to tell you about our "Fan Club Highlights" page. A few issues back we made an announcement in this column inviting everyone affiliated with fan clubs everyone affiliated with fan clubs—both officers and members—to send in pictures of themselves, club journals and anything else that might be of interest to our readers. The first to be heard from were representatives of a few of the many Eddie Fisher and Four Aces fan clubs. We've reprinted photographs of some of the presidents and members of these clubs in our "Fan Club Highlights" section—which will be a regular HIT PARADER feature. It's our sincere wish to be able ture. It's our sincere wish to be able to include as many clubs as possible—so come on, kids, get behind your favorite artists and send pictures and and journals to:

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We also want to invite all you kids not connected with fan clubs to send in pictures of yourselves and the mum pictures or yourselves and the musical doings in your city or town. The best letter, will appear in the "Letters To The Editor" section. Remember, you don't have to be a fan club member for this feature.

Also heading our feature parade this trip is an interesting hit ou that "Vices"

Also heading our feature parade this trip is an interesting bit on that "King of the Krooners," Mr. Perry Como. Perry has been one of our top male singing stars for a good long time, and in "What Makes Como Click?" we've tried to point out the reasons behind his highly successful career. Making his first appearance in HIT PARADER is a young English conductor who's responsible for the current hit, "The Happy Wanderer." His name is Frank Weir, and his London waxing of the tune is nestled comfortably among the country's top ten. Frank has had a very interesting musical career, and his work on the soprano saxophone leaves little to be desired. desired.

Another newcomer to the scene is a lovely lady from out Colorado way a lovely lady from out Colorado way with the intriguing name of Jaye P. Morgan. As rich in talent as her namesake was in dollars, Jaye P. has done wonders with her special versions of such old favorites as "Life Is Just A Bowl Of Cherries" and "Just A Gigolo." She's got lots of style, and her recordings on the Derby and RCA Victor labels have been fine sellers of late. sellers of late.

See you next month, when we'll announce the winning entries in our "Tommy Mara Contest."

IN A GARDEN OF ROSES

MARY JANE BABBITT

In a garden of roses, we waltzed, dear, that night,

With a lovers' moon shining like silver

so bright; When an old fortune teller by chance there we met,

Said that love, like the rose, Hides its thorns, don't forget. How I laughed when she said it, I never dreamed we'd part, Your false kiss is the thorn That has broken my poor heart. Pretty roses, oh, roses, my love story ends,

For tonight in the garden, She wed my best friend. Copyright 1953 by Goday Music Corp.

MONEY BURNS A HOLE IN MY POCKET

BOB HILLIARD JULE STYNE A man in my profession Rarely thinks about tomorrow You either have it or you go to a loan association,

Just your signature on the application and borrow,

Financial responsibility is a day to day affair,

But for the first time in my life I'm beginning to care.

Money burns a hole in my pocket, How I wish I had millions of dollars And nothing to do but just buy pretty presents for you.

Money burns a hole in my pocket, How I wish I had oil wells in Texas To keep me supplied with money While I sit by your side. Ev'ry day of the week we would visit

the stores.

All the beautiful things you seek Would soon be yours.

Cause money burns a hole in my pocket;

So I'm bringing you perfume And candy and roses of red And wishing they were diamonds instead.

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CHAIN REACTION

HAL DAVID DAVID SAXON A chain reaction from your lips Goes somer-saulting to my toes, Takes a high vault to my head In time to ski jump to my nose A chain reaction from your arms Goes somer-saulting to my toes, Bang bang bang my heart explodes Each time you say you're mine.

Sugar sugar you're my dynamite Sugar sugar you're my T. N. T. Sugar sugar when you hold me tight Something crazy happens to me.

Sugar sugar you're my firebrand Sugar sugar you're my ball of flame Sugar sugar you just kiss me And you make fire crackers seem tame. Copyright 1954 by George Pincus Music Corp.

GREEN YEARS

DON REID ARTHUR ALTMAN If I could turn back the pages of time When my hopes were as high as the

When time was a turtle too slow for my dreams

And I was too anxious to fly.

Green years where did you run to Wonderful green years where did you fly

Your April kiss made me feel spring would always live on But youth is a dreamer

And when I awoke my springtime was

Wise men say that love is the secret Of springtime in Autumn when April has passed

Oh where will I find such a lover at last

And recapture the rapture of those ever green years.
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HERNANDO'S HIDEAWAY

RICHARD ADLER JERRY ROSS
I know a dark secluded place, A place where no one knows your

A glass of wine, a fast embrace, It's called Hernando's Hideaway! olay! All you see are silhouettes. And all you hear are castanets, And no one cares how late it gets, Not at Hernando's Hideaway! olay! At the Golden Fingerbowl or any place

you go, You will meet your Uncle Max and ev'ryone you know.

But if you go to the spot that I am thinkin' of,

You will be free to gaze at me and talk of love!

Just knock three times and whisper low.

That you and I were sent by Joe, Then strike a match and you will know,

You're in Hernando's Hideaway; olay! Copyright 1954 by Frank Music Corp.

FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS
MARVIN SCOTT MALCOLM LOCKYER
When you've got friends and neighbors

All the world is a happier place Friends and neighbors put a smile on the gloomiest face

Just take your little troubles and share

With the folks next door Make it twice as easy to bear 'em That's what friends are for 'Cos if you're friends and neighbors That is something money won't buy You can hold your head up high

Although you've not a penny And your house may be tumbling down

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MY FRIEND

ERVIN DRAKE JIMMY SHIRL My Friend is the King of all Kings, And yet my Friend walks beside me. My Friend rules the earth and the sun, And yet my Friend stops to guide me. My Friend takes my hand, just when all appears in vain,

And makes it plain, through joy or

He'll remain my Friend.

My Friend tells me life is a road, And though it ends at the bending, My Friend tells me then,

There's a road beyond this road that's unending

Someday when I walk up the happy road that lies around the bend Who will there be to welcome me?

my Friend! Copyright 1954 by George Paxton, Inc.

(Serenade Of) THE OLD CABARET

BILLY VAUGHN BEASLEY SMITH We sat at a table with soft candle-

A roving guitarist played all thru the night,

Young lovers around us had little to say,

They thrilled to the serenade of the Old Cabaret.

The music and laughter should gladden a heart,

But there was a tear in my eye.

No one was aware, dear, that soon we would part,

And that we were saying goodbye. And now with a mem'ry I sit ev'ry night,

Alone at the table with soft candle-

I miss you and pray you'll return, dear, someday,

And we'll waltz to the serenade of the Old Cabaret.

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IF YOU TOOK YOUR LOVE FROM ME

JIMMY CRAIG

Take away the color from a rainbow, Cut away the branches from a tree Then take away the brook from ev'ry shady nook

That's what it would be, If you took your love from me. Take away the stardust from the

Take away the honey from a bee, Then hide behind the sun until the day is done,

That's what it would be, if you took your love from me.

Never leave me, never let me go! Please believe me

I am yours forever and ever, I know. Take away the petals from a flower, Just imagine fish without a sea, Then picture any spring without a bird to sing,

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Jean Sasaki

Shirley Ann Wolfe

Dear Friends:

You folks for a long, long time have had the magazine that thrills me most. HIT PARADER is the best. I have been a regular reader for three years.

and I will continue to do so.

Please keep up the good work. We here in Hawaii love HIT PARADER.

Sincerely, Jean Sasaki 99-242 Anounou Dr. Aiea. Oahu. Hawaii

Dear Mr. Editor:

I'm a regular reader of the HIT PARADER. I really enjoy it. It has everything we girls and boys want to hear about in the music world.

I think the popularity contests are really keen, and my friends think so, too. We would like you to have more contests like that.

Thank you very much Best of luck.

Thank you very much. Best of luck

Sincerely, Shirley Ann Wolfe 87 Jefferson St. Phillipsburg, N. J.

Dear Editor:

I am a real music lover and a reg-ular reader of HIT PARADER mag. The Hilltoppers are Number One on

my list of recording stars. Those Kentucky boys have really made a hit with us Ohio gals. "To Be Alone", one

of their hits, is the most precious.

I also think "Letters To The Editor" is wonderful

Sincerely, Miss Nancy Blom 2936 Chase St. Toledo 11, Ohio



Nancy Blom

Lazerna Ramsey

Dear Editor:

I bought my first HIT PARADER magazine in September of 1952. Since then, I have been a regular reader.

One of my favorite pop singers is Tony Bennett. I want to thank you for the fine job you did on his life

Keep up the good work! I think your magazine is real fine

> Sincerely, Lazerna Ramsey 1304 S. Cooper St. Kokomo, Ind.

1 am a regular reader of HIT PARADER, and I think the magazine is just great.

I am a student in Texas City Senior High School, where I am a sophomore. Many of us girls like to learn and sing the new hits, and HIT PAR-ADER is a great help. Right now, I like the new and popular tune, "The Little Shoemaker" by the Gaylords

Sincerely, Joan Heerssen 112-18th Ave. W. Texas City. Texas



Joan Heerssen

Jeanette Ferretti

Dear Editor:

This is just to let you know that you now have a new reader. Although I have read the HIT PARADER before, I now enjoy it even more

This new idea of "Letters To Like Editor" is great. It is now really like a club where you get to meet and make new friends.

We here in Rochester have a favorite disc jockey, too. His name is Ed Meath (Uncle Eddie). We also are proud of Lu Ann Simms, who is from our city.

I woud like to suggest a "Pen Pal Page" if possible. I know most of the kids would like to have one.

Sincerely, Jeanette Ferretti 18 Aurora St. Rochester 21, N. Y.

THANK YOU FOR CALLING

CINDY WALKER (Telephone ring brrr! brrr!) Who can it be? hello, hello?

Yes, this is me. Oh, darling, oh, darling, what a

It's been so long, why, there's tears in my eyes,

When will you be here? What time will it be? Oh, you're not coming? I see, oh, I see, Well I hope you'll be happy. Well, thank you, I'll try. Thank you for calling, goodbye.

Yes, operator, I'll hang up the phone. Yes, yes, I know that my party is gone. Oh, but I'll always love him. I guess, till I die. Thank you for calling, goodbye.

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THE MAGIC TANGO MAX FRANCOIS JIMMY KENNEDY M. PHILIPPE-GERARD

Last night I heard a tango, It's called "the magic tango" I long to dance it while you hold me. I want its fascination, I want to feel temptation, Just as "the magic tango" told me Don't want to dance without you. I'm so insane about you. Come back and let your arms enfold

me We'll dance "the magic tango." After "the magic tango" I'll know the magic of your love.
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HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN CARMEN LOMBARDO JOHN JACOB LOEB

How long has it been Since we met in dreams that night, It seems that night wasn't so long ago. How long has it been Since we met and shared our love, Declared our love there in the afterglow

How long has it been since you disappeared And then appeared again, Filling my heart with song. How long has it been since the very last time

You were in my arms? I don't know, but I know it's been oh, so long

How long has it been since I turned away from love, that day From love ever so long ago.

How long has it been since my heart was filled with spring There in the afterglow

How long has it been Since I felt so warm inside the storm Inside now is a tender song.

How long has it been Since I felt this glow of love within

my heart? I don't know, but I know it's been oh, so long.
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SKINNIE MINNIE (Fish Tail)

VINCENT FIORINO DENNISE NORWOOD Skinnie Minnie, skinnie Minnie fish tail,

Cotch-a me tonight.

Skinnie Minnie, skinnie Minnie fish tail,

Squeeze-a me tonight, hey!

Skinnie Minnie, skinnie Minnie fish tail,

Come an' cotch-a me.

I'll knock, knock upon the rock Until you cotch-a me.

Beeg Manuel ees a fisherman, He feesh, feesh, feesh, all-a time he can,

He feesh all night an' he feesh all day,

I teenk he's gonna feesh his life away.
One night so bright in his boat I hide,
He row the boat on the ocean wide,
An' then he stop at a great beeg rock,
He seeng thees song an' ee knock,
knock, knock, hey!

He knock, knock, knock on the rock like thees,

The mermaid feesh, she come up to sweesh,

She sweesh an' sway for the feesher man,

She like to cotch him an' she know she can.

The mermaid feesh, she ees oh. so nize,

She sweesh her tail an' roll her eyes, Emanuel feesh night an' day, He feesh for skinnie Minnie sweesh an' sway, hey!

Tonight we buy all the feesh we can,
Tonight we feesh like a feesher man,
Tonight we row to the great big rock,
We seeng this song, an' then we
knock, knock, knock

Upon the rock until you cotch-a me, Cotch-a me, cotch-a me, you cotch-a me.

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THE MAN UPSTAIRS

STANLEY MORGAN MANNERS
Have you talked to the Man Upstairs?
'Cause he wants to hear from you.
Have you talked to the Man Upstairs?
He will always see you through.

And when troubles ever trouble you Now don't you run and hide 'Cause if you ever need a friend He'll be right there by your side.

So turn your eyes to Heaven And just say a simple prayer. Through the clouds of lace You'll see his face No matter when or where.

Have you talked to the Man Upstairs? Cause he wants to hear from you. Have you talked to the Man Upstairs? He will always see you through.

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Fill CLUB HIGHLIGHTS



A few issues ago, we asked the various fan club representatives to send in bulletins, along with pictures of themselves and outstanding members of their clubs, to be used in connection with a special fan club page. We thought this would give readers of HIT PARADER who are not affiliated with a club a chance to get behind their favorite singers and also make some new pen pals

Well, as it happened, the followers of Eddie Fisher were the first to respond. It seems that, besides being one of the leading vocalists in the nation today, Eddie has a loyal and hard-working following whose aim it is to keep their star on top. Then we began receiving material from several of the Four Aces fan club members who are also among the most faithful fans to be found anywhere.

Up to this writing, very few pictures and journals have been received from followers of such great entertainers as Perry Como, Tony Bennett, Julius LaRosa, Joni James, Patti Page, Jo Stafford and all the others of the country's favorites. We know that these artists — and many others — do have fan clubs, so won't you send us your pictures and bulletins? We're sure your friends will be thrilled to see you featured in HIT PARADER, and your club will receive some fine national publicity.

Getting back to Eddie Fisher and the Four Aces, we'd like to have you meet some of their fan club presidents and members. A few of the girls pictured here didn't send in their full addresses, but here are as many as we have:

- 1 Shirley Card, member Four Aces Fan Club Chapter 757
- 2 Patsy Durbin, president Four Aces Fan Club Chapter 757 8645 Hamburg Rd. Brighton, Mich.
- 3 Nancy Beilby, member Four Aces Fan Club Chapter 757
- 4 Pat Veik, member Four Aces Fan Club Chapter 757
- J Rosemarie Klem, president Four Aces Fan Club of Chicago
- 6 Judy Rappaport, president Eddie Fisher Fan Club 80-08 193 Street Jamaica 23, N. Y.
- 7 Elaine Kohol, president Fisher Mello-Dees 720 West 173 Street New York 32, N. Y.
- 8 Janet Lehman, president Fisherites Route No. 1 Hellam, Pa.
- 9 Eleanor Lehman, vice pres. Fisherites Route No. 1 Hellam, Pa.
- 10 Judy Bryant, president Eddie's Fishers 498 Conkey Ave. Rochester 21, N. Y.



STEAM HEAT

RICHARD ADLER JERRY ROSS I got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat. got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat, But I need your love to keep away the cold.

l got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat. I got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat. I got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat. But I can't get warm without your hand to hold.

The radiator hissin', still I need your kissin'

To keep me from freezin each night: I got a hot water bottle

But nothing I got'll take the place of

you, holding me tight.
got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat. I got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat, I got (clang) (clang) s-s-s-steam heat, But I need your love to keep away the cold.

They told me to shovel more coal in the boiler,

They told me to shovel more coal in the boiler,

They told me to shovel more coal in the boiler,

But that don't do no good.

They told me to pour some more oil in the burner,

They told me to pour some more oil in the burner,

They told me to pour some more oil in the burner,

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MECQUE — MECQUE

BUNNY PAUL

Meque meque mequ'est que sais Please tell me when you'll name the

Meque meque mequ'est que sais The day when you and I are one Doot du-wah doot du-wah.

I'll buy you diamond ring I'll buy you ev'rything If you will only be my bride oui! I'm so in love with you There's nothing I won't do To have you darling by my side oui! You'll have a yacht a couple Cadillacs I'd even love to pay your income tax So please don't hesitate You know I just can't wait Oh won't you answer me my sweet meque.

I told you how I feel, and that my love is real

And now it's strictly up to you-no? And if you should decide to be my blushing bride,

Forevermore I will be true-yes! And in a year when maybe we are

Oh can't you see how happy we will be:

So please be kind to me, and whisper "oui" to me

Say you will marry me my sweet meque.

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ALEX ALSTONE REDD EVANS Go before the night becomes too dark For eyes to see you Go before your touch becomes too

For arms to hold you Go now but not in sorrow True love waits for tomorrow Love you? Because I love you That's why I beg you for tonight, Darling go.

Is. it strange, that I send you away I only wait for a happier day Love you? Because I love you, That's why I beg you darling, Please go now.
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THE FALLING IN LOVE WALTZ

K. C. ROGAN

They're playing the falling in love

The song. I've been waiting to hear But the girl I've been wanting to dance

Isn't anywhere near, anywhere near She's there in the arms of another His cheek is where my cheek should be So they're playing the falling in love waltz

For somebody else not me. Copyright 1954 by George Simon Inc

WHEN MAMA CALLS

BOB MERRILL

Girls he'll meet down the street at the

Think he's free as an eagle above, But I break their wagon down everytime I come aroun';

When mama calls him he just runs! When mama calls he comes!

He might tell them I don't understand him

He may dance and romance them a while

But I warn them from the start Not to take the thing to heart; When mama calls him he just runs When mama calls he comes!

Every grown up man is just a little boy

And a brand new blond is a brand new toy,

But like a chicken knows her chicks Well, mama knows how daddy ticks, And mama knows some darn good tricks herself.

There are lips he might kiss in the starlight

Other arms have some charms 'neath the moon

But just like a little boy, he gets tired of the toy

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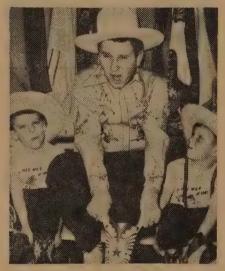
THE KIDDIE KORNER



Karen Chandler and her hubby Jack Pleis, both of Coral, show lots of interest in a big doll presented to their real live doll



Lovely Felicia Sanders, of "Moulin Rouge" fame, and her son Jeff are constant companions and enjoy doing things together



Pee Wee King and his sons dress up in real country style for pop's TV show

"O.K., Mom and Dad, move over and let the kids take over." That's just what we told the top record stars when we went out to collect pictures of the younger generation. They did just that, and so we have come up with the "Kiddie Korner," which gives you an intimate look at the children of the stars. Not too long ago, the entertainment world frowned upon the idea of showing family pictures, but lately, with big families becoming the rage, they have allowed family shots to be taken. You can call it a sign of the times.

For this feature we will introduce to you the younger members of the Dinah Shore family, the Nat "King" Cole girls, Karen Chandler and her son, Felicia Sanders and her boy, Pee Wee King and his twin sons, along with Doris Day and her big boy. This will be the first of a series of pages dealing with the children of the stars. Your favorite should appear soon



Victor's Dinah Shore and George Montgomery show off their little gal Mellisa



Columbia Records' Loris Day and her son Terry visit with Jack Webb on the set of his new Warner Bros. picture, "Dragnet"



The "King" and his court get together in the persons of Nat "King" Cole and his two offspring. They go for pop's singing

LAMPLIGHT

JAMES SHELTON I have a story I tell, It's old as the hills, but oh well, It has one twist that might int'rest you, Skies of blue that turn gray, And when they turn, stay that way; All stories must people say Be like the dust blow away, And if they happen to pause by chance,

Just a glance then they're through; Maybe it's happened to you.

They bumped into each other As people often do, And that's the situation That was always meant for two. A boy, a girl, a lamplight, My story starts, it's nothing new; She didn't drop her hanky, That trick was over done, But once her eye had twinkled, Her first point had been won. A boy, a girl, a lamplight, My story's sad but then it's true. And when they saw each other smile The Hudson looked just like the Nile. The stars all seemed to glisten, The clouds stood still to listen, They didn't speak for quite a while; And then all of a sudden The clouds moved overhead, The Nile was just the Hudson And the stars above them fled, A boy, a girl, a lamplight, My story ends, and so to bed.
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SITTIN' AN' WAITIN'
STEPHE SILVERS SHELDON SILVERS I guess I messed up all the dreams That we had ever planned.
My gamblin' and my drinkin'
Had gotten out of hand. I know I made you go away, But now I want you back. That's why I'll keep on searchin' Down by the railroad track

That's why I'm sittin' an' waitin' honey,
Sittin' an' waitin honey,
Sittin' an' waitin' for you.
I'll keep on sittin' an' waitin' honey, Sittin' an' waitin' honey, There's nothing else for me to do.

I woke up on that fateful day And knew I was a fool. My flirtin' and my playin' Had chased away my jewel. If out of sight means out of mind, I've proved it isn't true. You know I can't forget That you took my heart with you.

I miss your childish laughter, I miss your tender smile. I guess you haven't heard dear, That love is still in style. Why can't we start all over? Why can't we start anew? If you'll come back my darlin', I promise I'll be true. top trues Copyright 1954 by Republic Music Company

SOMEBODY ELSE'S LOVE SONG

NORMAN KAYE ETHEL MARSH The melody's pretty the words are divine

But somehow something went wrong For my favorite waltz has turned out to be Somebody else's love song.

It all seemed so innocent When she took his hand And glided across the floor Not once did I realize That this was the end

That she wasn't mine anymore.

Last Sunday I passed the church And heard all the songs I've heard at weddings before The organ was playing my favorite

As the bride and groom came out the door.

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waltz

HE IS A MAN

(I Am A Mon)
CARROLL COATES RONNIE SELBEY
He is a man so at times he goes astray Seems so unfair but a man is made that way-

What can I do what else is there to say He is a man that's all

I am his girl and he needs my helping hand

He needs my faith to achieve the things he's planned

He'll take the praise but I will understand

He is a man that's all Though he really cares it may not always show

Still I won't despair for one thing I

He is a man who is mine forevermore I am the girl he is destined to adore If things go wrong the way they have before

I love him so I'll recall That he is a man that's all.

I am a man so at times I go astray Seems so unfair but a man is made that way

What can I do what else is there to say I am a man that's all

You are my girl and I need your helping hand

I need your faith to achieve the things I've planned

I'll take the praise but you will understand

I am a man that's all Though I really care it may not always show

Darling don't despair By now you should know I am a man who is yours forevermore You are the girl I am destined to adore

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JAYE P. MORGAN

A pretty blonde girl was born twenty-two years ago in a little log cabin outside of Denver, Colorado, and historians are all agreeing that the Morgan family's Jaye P. has accomplished more for the log cabin than anyone else since Abe Lincoln.

Shortly before Jaye P. reached the age of three, her vaudeville family packed all their belongings and headed for the green fields of Hollywood. Once in Hollywood, the family formed their own vaudeville troupe and toured the province with little Miss Morgal, then named Mary, taking the leading role. After ten years of performing, Mary retired from show business at the ripe old age of thirteen to finish her highschooling.

While in high school, Mary was elected class treasurer, and some smart young student promptly nicknamed her Jaye P. (after the multimillionaire). That name has remained with her down through the years — and is now her legal moniker.

her legal moniker.

While still in high school, Jaye P. got that singing urge once again and decided to take up working weekends with small singing groups and local bands in and around the Hollywood area. While singing at a Saturday night prom dance, she was heard by bandleader Frank Devol, who immediately signed her with his band for recording work and radio and T.V. appearances. She remained with Frank for three years, during which time he taught her the singing techniques that she still uses. In fact, Frank Devol not While still in high school, Jaye P. got

only taught her what he knew about singing but also encouraged her when the going became rough. To this day, he still does all her arranging on the

Jaye P's recordings with Mr. Devol were so good that they "caught the ears" of artists' personal manager "Bullets" Durgom, who, in turn, got a Derby Record contract for her. "Bullets" then arranged for Jaye P, to be brought to the East Coast for T.V. and nite club appearances. nite club appearances.

With her tremendous personality, vitality, and beauty, our gal Jaye took the "big town" by storm. She loved New York, and the people there took her into their hearts overnight.

At this time Jaye P. cut a beautiful side for Derby Records, labeled "Just A Gigolo", which became an immediate click. Next she cut loose with another hit, "Life Is Just A Bowl Of Cherries", hit, "Life Is Just A Bowl Of Cherries", which was received even more warmly than "Gigolo." Jaye has two new tunes coming up, and we know you are waiting as impatiently as we to hear them. Aside from her recording dates, Miss Morgan is now making ready to sign a moving picture contract — Wow!!!

so let's sum up —! Jaye P. Morgan has already had two big hit songs on the Derby label (with more to come); she is currently starring on many T. V. shows; she is destined to return to Hollywood and become a starlet of the movies — all this from a twenty-two-year old girl who was born in a log gabin

THERE NEVER WAS A NIGHT SO BEAUTIFUL

There never was a night so beautiful As this night here with you under the

No music ever was so danceable, No one as romanceable as you are. There never was a night so beautiful. It seems I'm on the planet Mars; And yet, they say it's not unusual For people to feel this way,
The way I do.

They say it happens when the one you love loves you.
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THE RIVER OF NO RETURN

KEN DARBY LIONEL NEWMAN There is a river called the river of no return

Sometimes it's peaceful and sometimes wild and free!

Love is a trav'ler on the river of no return

Swept on forever to be lost in the stormy sea.

Wail-a-ree I can hear the river call (No return, no return) Where the roarin' waters fall wail-a-ree

I can hear my lover call come to me (No return, no return) I lost my love on the river

And forever my heart will yearn Gone gone forever down the river of no return

Wail-a-ree wail-a-re-ee She'll never return to me! Copyright 1954 by Simon House Inc.

TAKE EVERYTHING BUT YOU MAURICE ABRAHAMS LEW BROWN

This world is beautiful, But it is beautiful Just because I have you; My plans seem wonderful, But they seem wonderful 'Cause you're part of them too; You are all that I am living for, Give me you and I want nothing more.

Take the sunshine, Take the skies of blue, Take ev'rything but you; Take the flowers. Take the song birds too, Take ev'rything but you. For what good would a world full of treasures be?

It would rain in my heart If you're gone from me. But with you near me I'll come smiling through,

Take ev'rything but you.

I'm feeling happier, Oh, so much happier, Since you said you were mine; You make my dreams come true, You make my schemes come true, You're my angel divine; When you answered "yes" my heart was thrilled.

Now my one and only wish is filled.

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CLIMB UP THE WALL
NORMAN GIMBEL AUYAR HOSSEINI
Climb up the garden wall And we will spread a Persian rug
I'll serve you Turkish tea
And give your head a Persian hug Climb up the wall!

I'm like a lonely little rose fading in the shade

I need your sunny smile, give me your

sunny smile I'm like a lonely little rose. And do you suppose I like it very much?

No I don't like it much.

This night is written in the stars All the world is ours Come free my longing heart Unlock my longing heart My darling if you come to me We'll make history Give me your tender kiss I need no more than this.

I'm like a helpless little child waiting in the cold

I need your warm embrace give me your warm embrace

I'll give you bells and native beads Fulfill all your needs

Without a fret or fuss and things I won't discuss.

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(I've Got A) DREAM FOR SALE

BILLY MURE I've got a dream for sale, The dream that might have come true. I've got a dream for sale, The dream that just needed you. Picture a cottage small by a waterfall Where we could roam, Where we could hide away From the crowds each day In our home sweet home. But now my dream's for sale, The dream that we might have shared. I tried to give my love, But somehow you never cared. I'm in hopes that someday I'll find Someone to share this love of mine, Till then I've got a dream for sale.
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SO MUCH MORE

FRED NORMAN LARRY DOUGLAS

Are you worth the longing for, All this hoping for someone to adore? Yes to me you are worth "so much more."

Take the gold from Heaven's door The devotion of waves that kiss the shore,

Yes to me you are worth "so much more."

The things I can give seem so few, Tho' the best is not good enough for

Yet my song I must out-pour And I offer my heart forever more, For to me you are worth "so much more."

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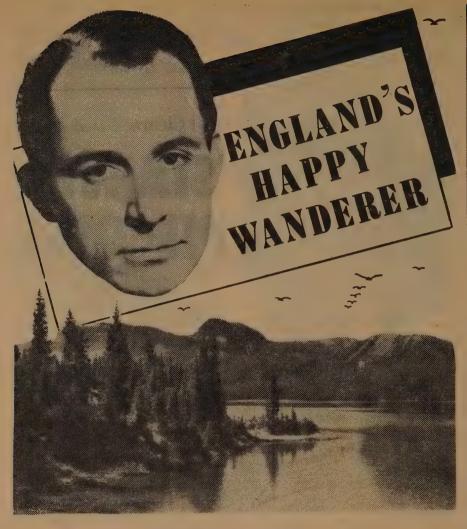
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FRANK WEIR

From our good English neighbors across the sea comes a brand new, sensational recording artist — Frank Weir, who has made a bigger splash in our country than any foreign star. England and its London Recording Company have brought to our shores such memorable personalities as Mantovani. Lita Roza, Edmundo Ros, Frank Chacksfield, Ted Heath, Vera Lynn — and now they have really one themselves with Mr. Frank Weir.

Weir.

Frank is tabeled as one of the best sax men in Europe, as well as "jolly old England." He excels musically with clarinet, alto sax and soprano sax and also was the "European Winner Clarinetist" for the years of 1947 and 1948. Frank, who has been a top British musical director since 1941, has played with every name band and orchestra in England, including the Philharmonic Orchestra, Queens Hall Light Orchestra, Boyd Neal String Orchestra, and the world-renowned London Symphony Orchestra.

Frank has just recently recorded a song on the London Record label that became the Number One tune in England, and when presented to the United States, also climbed to the top of our Hit Parade charts. The song—"The Happy Wanderer" is an extremely beautiful, lilting English melody. Frank's version has the usual London big song set-up, including a male chorus of twelve, twenty-two strings, a rhythm section and a blazing soprano saxophone. The last mentioned, of

course, represents Weir's personal contribution, and it is the rather weird and unusual tone of the soprano sax that makes the record what it is.

Now that he has enjoyed the reapings of this fine tune, which continues to sell after being up on top for three solid months, Frank has waxed five or six new sides. Among his fairly new recordings are "The Never Never Land" and "Little Shoe Maker." Both these tunes have Frank and his solid-sending sayonhone nouring out the sending saxophone pouring out the sweet notes along with the lush background music.

Soon, "Sax Man Weir" will come to our shores and engage in public appearance tours. All music lovers stateside are whole-heartedly anticipating the meeting-and what a meeting it'll

We will now endeavor to give you some of the attributes of this charming male - so listen closely gals - !!! Frank was born in London, England; he is five feet ten inches tall, weighs one hundred-seventy five pounds and has a dark complexion. He served as a transport pilot with the Royal Air Force in the Second World War - and served quite well, we might add!! Frank's hobbies are golf (he shoots in the 80's), flying and reading. He is an avid record collector, and imagine - he'll be in the United States soon! **NEVER NEVER LAND**

(Oooh-La)
BEECHER RALPH BUTLER SY CROMWELL
GERHARD FROBOESS It was such a lovely dream It's the best I've ever seen Worlds and worlds of wonderland My eyes would not believe It's a land far far away Music there is always gay We have so much fun Oh, I wish you all could come.

It's a never never land With a 'umpty tumpty band Playing ooh-la, ooh-la, ooh-la Ev'rybody's in the band In the never never land Playing ooh-la, ooh-la, ooh-la, You can jump across the moonbeams You can swing upon a star You can even sit on rainbows Shouting ooh-las from afar It's a never never land With a 'umpty tumpty band Playing ooh-la, ooh-la ooh for you.

It's a never never land With a 'umpty tumpty band Playing ooh-la, ooh-la, ooh-la Ev'rybody's in the band In the never never land Playing ooh-la, ooh-la, ooh-la, You can crash the great big cymbal You can bang the big bass drum You can be a pied pied piper And go rum-te tumte-tum It's a never never land With a 'umpty tumpty band Playing ooh-la, ooh-la ooh for vou. Copyright 1951, 1954 by Musikverlag Melodie, Ber-lin, Germany, Sole selling agent Pickwick Music Corp This version by arrangement with Keith Prowse & Co Ltd

R. ELMAN G. YENIS L. MURCIA
I'll follow you wherever you are I'll follow you from here to a star Though I may be a million miles behind you

A love as strong as mine will always find you

I'll follow you wherever you roam Please don't forget my heart is your home

Through all the years Through smiles and tears Through all eternity I'll follow you wherever you may be. Copyright 1954 by Cumberland Music Ltd. London England. All rights for U.S. and territories by United Music Corp.

LOVING YOU MADLY

Loving you madly right from the start Loving you madly though you're breaking my heart

Wanting your kisses before you go Wanting your lips to feel the glow Loving you madly, am I to blame Loving you gladly feeling no pain Wanting your charms here in my

Loving you madly sweetheart. Copyright 1954 by Raleigh Music Co.

LEAVE IT TO YOUR HEART

KERMIT GOELL FRED SPIELMAN Leave it to your heart to tell you When the one you love comes along, Leave it to your heart to tell you. Your heart won't tell you wrong. Never let your head decide you, Never mind what people may say. Leave it to your heart to guide you, Your heart won't go astray. Don't start wondering if and how and why.

While you're wondering, love can pass you by.

When you feel that urge compel you, Then you'll know the answer is "yes." Leave it to your heart to tell you And you'll find happiness. Copyright 1954 by George Paxton, Inc.

MAD ABOUT THE BOY

NOEL COWARD Mad about the boy,

I know it's stupid to be mad about the boy,

I'm so ashamed of it, But must admit the sleepless nights I ve had about the boy. On the Silver Screen He melts my foolish heart in ev'ry

single scene, Although I'm quite aware

That here and there Are traces of the cad about the boy. Lord knows I'm not a fool girl,

I really shouldn't care; Lord knows I'm not a school girl,

In the flurry of her first affair. Will it every cloy?

This odd diversity of misery and joy; Im teeling quite insane

And young again,

And all because I'm mad about the boy.

It seems a little silly for a girl of my age and weight To walk down Piccadilly In a haze of love, It ought to take a good deal more To get a bad girl down, I should have been exempt, For my particular kind of Fate Has taught me such contempt

For ev'ry phase of love, And now I've been and spent my last half-crown

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MOMENTS LIKE THIS

FRANK LOESSER BURTON LANE Moments like this Make me thrill through and through Careless moments like this, Close to you.

Nonchalantly we dine and dance Yet my heart seems to melt in your glance.

Sweet moments like this, With the soft lights aglow Make me long for your kiss Though I know

I'd be just one of all your affairs But at moments like this, who cares? Copyright 1938 by Famous Music Corp.

HIT AND RUN AFFAIR I really thought I knew it all Concerning sweet romance 'Cause when it came to pretty girls I'd always take a chance I felt that I could handle love With just a little luck Then all at once you hit me Like a ten ton diesel truck.

Hit and run hit and run, You left me crying there, Wasted love, a victim of a hit and run Had your fun now you're done,

My bleeding heart is bare Couldn't see that it woul be A hit and run affair

The way that Grant took Richmond Was the way you captured me You roped me and you tied me I was helpless as can be You told me pretty stories And you said you'd never stray You picked me up and knocked me down And then you ran away.

You taught me quite a lesson And I never will forget You really had the laugh on me But I'll get even yet Somebody else will come along And do the same to you And I will have my sweet revenge When you are crying too. Copyright 1953 by Duchess Music Corp.

EVERY DAY

KENNY JACOBSON Ev'ry day, I wake up and then I say, Today is the day that I'll fall in love. Ev'ry night I dream that I hold you tight,

And then like a dream you fly, fly

Maybe this is just a foolish fantasy I

But it's really real, As the wind blows, as the sea flows. Ev'ry day, I wake up and then I say, Today is the day that I'll fall in love. Today is the day that I'll fall in love. Copyright 1953, 1954 by Tanglewood Music Corp. Published by Chappell & Co., Inc. by arrangement with Tanglewood Music Corp.

LINGER IN MY ARMS
SUNNY SKYLAR LEROY HOLMES
While the silv'ry moon is bright, Linger in my arms. Isn't this a lovely night? Linger in my arms. I know that much too fast The stars will be gone. Let's make each moment last up until the dawn. There are many things to say

That I can't express.

So I'm wond'ring if I may let my kiss confess.

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CAUGHT in the ACT



A real world traveler, Miss Eartha Kitt points out a few of the places she has visited to Martin Block when the Victor star guested on Block's WABC "Crystal Studio"



Doris Day chats with the star of Warner's "A Star Is Born," Judy Garland



Sunny Gale (C) dines out with Lucille Ball and Phillip Morris' Johnnie



Chuck Thompson, D.J., is determined to have his song "Miss America" published



Jack Pleis relives the old days with "The King Of The Blues," W. C. Handy



Lou Capone, Sid Asher, Paul Brown guide the destiny of star Tommy Mara



N. Y. newsman Earl Wilson presents the "Brascar" award to the lovely McGuire Sisters for their latest Coral disk of "Goodnight Sweetheart, Goodnight"

CRAZY 'BOUT YA, BABY

PAT BARRETT . RUDI MAUGERI Crazy bout ya, baby, Want ya all to myself, Crazy bout ya, baby, No one else on the shelf, Give me all your loving, All that you can afford, Let me keep you always ever to be adored.

Crazy bout ya, baby, Crazy 'bout ya, baby, Crazy 'bout ya, baby, Want you all to myself.

The time has come, my honey, Will you please be my wife, I will take good care of you The rest of your life, Gonna spend a lot of money, House built for two, A cottage in the country for just me and you.

After we are married, we will raise a family, All the plans we had before will fit right to a tee,
Will be livin' humble in our own little It we're to be so fortunate, pray this be the day. Copyright 1954 by Sunbeam Music Corp.

WHO CAN SAY
LARRY DOUGLAS FRED NORMAN
ROMMIE BEARDEN
Inviting enchanting intoxicating are

Is there a sense in my feeling as I do, "Who can say?" I'm dreaming I want you
Exciting lover come near.
And are there words I can whisper
You will hear "who can say?" In dreams I see you plainly Awake there is the pain, I find only your mem'ry To guide my blind ecstacy. Adoring unending I'll keep on searching for you. For are you real or a dream that

won't come true "Who can say?"
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YOÙ CAN BETCHA LIFE

JOHNNY PARKER
I love you, I want you, I need you can betcha life, I love you, I want you, I do; Darlin', how I love you, I want you, I need you can betcha life, I love you, you know that I do.
I try to hide what I'm feelin' inside, But this is one time it's no go; You're so appealin', that you've got me

That I want the whole world to know, Ta know, ta know I love you, I want you, I need you can betcha life, I love you, I want you, I do; Darlin', how I love you, I want you, I need you can betcha life, I love you, you know that I do... Copyright 1954 by Garlock-Scherer Music Inc.

THE HAPPY WANDERER

(Val-de Ri-val-de Ra)

ANTONIA RIDGE FRIEDR, W. MOLLER

I love to go a-wandering, Along the mountain track, And as I go, I love to sing, My knapsack on my back.

Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Vai-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ha ha ha ha ha Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) My knapsack on my back

I love to wander by the stream That dances in the sun, So joyously it calls to me, "Come! join my happy song!"

Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ha ha ha ha ha Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) "Come! join my happy song!"

I wave my hat to all I meet, And they wave back to me, And blackbirds call so loud and sweet

From ev'ry greenwood tree.

Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ha ha ha ha ha ha Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) From ev'ry greenwood tree.

High overhead, the skylarks wing, They never rest at home, But just like me, they love to sing, As o'er the world we roam.

Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ha ha ha ha ha ha Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) As o'er the world we roam.

Oh, may I go a-wandering Until the day I die! Oh, may I always laugh and sing, Beneath God's clear blue sky!

Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Val-de ha ha ha ha ha Val-de ri (tra la la la la) Val-de ra (tra la la la la) Beneath God's clear blue sky!

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PROGRAMMING A D.J. SHOW

Not many years ago, at the University of North Carolina, Saxie Dowell and another student named Hal Kemp and another student named Hai Kemp formed a dance band. The result is well known. Saxie, a veteran of the aircraft carrier "Ben Franklin" saga of World War II, left Kemp to form his own unit two years before entering the Navy. He joined WGN (Chicago, Ill.) as a D.J. in 1952 and now is beard daily during the afternoon and heard daily during the afternoon and evening with the "Saxie Dowell Show." Saxie is also the author of two hit tunes of several years ago—"Playmates" and "Three Little Fishes."

Here's what Saxie says about programming his shows:

"With Kemp and with my own band I met certain standards regarding the quality of music we played. As a D.J., still answer to these requirements.

"It's swell to say hello to all of you HIT PARADER readers. This is Jerry Gaines, and I hold forth every day from station WHAT in Philadelphia, Penna, I would like to spin a few moments with you, and maybe we can more approach to you a few ideas on how get across to you a few ideas on how program my shows.

"Spinning records in a big city like Philadelphia presents quite a problem. I have a different listening audience practically every hour, and my job is to play their favorite music—and at the time they can listen in.

"I try to get the top tunes of the day in every show I do. With so many new records coming into the studio every day, I devote time to giving my audience an advanced listen to the tunes I think will be the new hits.



SAXIE DOWELL, WGN

The music played on my shows has resulted in favorable response from 48 states, Mexico and wherever else WGN broadcasts are heard.

"A close listen to my program reveals that my music reaches a diversified audience of all ages. One thing learned from years of traveling with a dance band is that the listener in Chicago likes his music different from another listener in downstate Illinois. The same applies to listeners in Council Bluffs and Kansas City. I try to reach them all.

"Another thing I think important to remember is this; the people I used to see across the bandstand youngsters then-are older now. But youngsters then—are older now. But I don't forget them. I play some of the songs that were favorites to them in younger, more sentimental years. Now, some of their kids are record fans. Time flies, but there are memories in songs and in bands."



JERRY GAINES, WHAT

Also, since Philly is a stop-over for all the big-name entertainment, I have as many stars visit me as I possibly can. I think interviewing the stars is an important item in programming a show. It gives the listener a better insight when he knows a little some-thing about the entertainer performing on the record.

"Old-time tunes come in for a share of my hours on the air. What with of my hours on the air. What with some of the oldies creeping into the top ten list, it seems like the oldients are going to remain with us for quite awhile. I try to give my listeners the best music available on any label. The small ones get as much play as the major ones, and instruments take a stand alongside vocals. I always look for balance.

"My main hope is that my listeners get the best of the bargain. If they don't, you can bet I'll hear about it."

PLATTER PATTER

PROGRAMMING A D. J. SHOW

"This is your D.J. friend, Freddie Chapman, talking to you from station WSCR, Scranton, Pa. I first broke into radio as an announcer artist at WEST, Easton, Pa., and recently took over a 2½-hour slot here at WSCR called 'Freddie Chapman's Morning Varieties' (Monday through Saturday.)

"My show was formerly semi-classical in nature and was heard from 6:30 to 9:00 a.m. Now the program is designed to include all types of recorded music, including time checks, weather checks, quips—and even a little romantic poetry. I feel all of this takes care of the majority and the minority, and I am happy to say it is working

"Scranton, which, by the way, was strictly a popular music center, is now crying for country music to be added

Hal Lewis — better known as "J. Akuhead Pupule" — always keeps his listeners guessing, as he spins 'em over KHON, Honolulu, Hawaii, 3½ hours daily. In spite of his crazy antics—no D.J. is more adept at kidding his sponsors or playing jokes on his audience—Hal is one of the greatest salesmen the Islands have ever known.

Born in Brooklyn some 36 years ago, "Crazy Fishhead" rose from a starving San Francisco fiddler to a \$75,000-ayear radio personality in eight short years. He's got natural musical ability, is a top-notch comedian and can hatch more novel ideas to keep his audience interested than anyone can possibly imagine.

In the fall of 1947, Hal was about to be fired by station KPOA, but was



HAL LEWIS, KHON

to all pop shows. My show also carries five minutes of news headlines at 7:00 a.m. and five minutes of both national and local sports at 7:30 a.m.

FREDDIE CHAPMAN, WSCR

"My main theory in programming "My main theory in programming is this: If it's of interest to the listener, include it in your show. This leaves the listener with a 'satisfaction guaranteed' frame of mind, and nothing left to desire. I am a firm believer in the relaxed form of delivery, with ad lib comparation of the state of the sta with ad-lib commercial, if at all possible. I have found that, not only does the listener accept this, but it also keeps the sponsor happy when you make an audience feel as though you know them.

"I would like to sneak a plug in here, if I may. I am also a Capitol Records country artist, my latest re-lease being 'Talking To A Sparrow', backed with 'My Life Is Not My Own.' Also, I do an hour video show over WBRE-TV, Scranton, from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. daily.

kept on to fill in for a vacationing morning man. Since then, he's been heard daily from 5:30 to 9:00 a.m.—switching over to KIION five years ago. Today he has an average of 35 sponsors, with a huge waiting list. He recently decided to make his mark on television and can now be seen on Sundays, from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m., over KONA-TV. kept on to fill in for a vacationing

A large reason for "Akuhead's" success is the wide range of appeal his Governor to the city garbage collector

— likes the records he spins, the
weather reports, the five newscasts
and the fascinating 7:30 editorials, which always provide favorite a.m. conversation for Hawaiians, And, although his radio time is worth about \$20 per spot announcement, Hal never hesitates to give free plugs to any and all worthwhile organizations and char-





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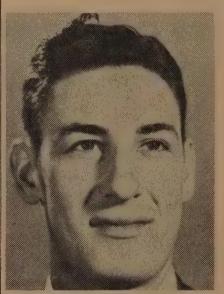


PROGRAMMING A D. J. SHOW

"Hi folks! I am Earl Edwards of WNAH, Nashville, Tennessee, with a real interest in discussing proper methods of programming the D.J. show. Let me explain first that my show is somewhat unusual in that I show is somewhat unusual in that I take telephone requests, where anyone can call in and choose their favorite tune. I play mainly popular music, with a few western and jazz tunes slipping in. As for hillbilly on my show, it is outlawed! I take the air at 6 a.m., and my program, which is dubbed "The Rise 'N' Shine Show'. lasts until 8:35 a.m., with two five-minute news summaries dividing the show into three sessions. show into three sessions.

"One of the greatest problems of a telephone request show is the usual lack of variety. Some people have a tendency to hear one tune which they "Hi there! Jim Wesley speaking from deep in the heart of Dixie, My listening address is 970 Radio Row, WGLS, Decatur, Georgia. I'm happy to say hello to you HIT PARADER

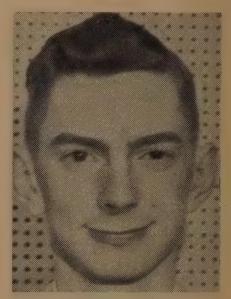
"When asked how I select the records I play, I usually mumble something about requests and popular rectains about requests and popular records." ords and let it go at that. Actually, like most other disc jockeys, I have some pretty definite ideas about programming a show. I do not try to educate my listeners. They educate me. Why should I try to teach them the facts about Dixieland or jazz or folk music? I don't think most listeners are eager for such knowledge. I think they are eager to be entertained, and they know what they want to hear. Once you know what they want, it's



EARL EDWARDS, WNAH

like and then request it time and time again until it is almost worn out. To remedy this situation, I always pick out about a dozen of the new popular releases and about four or five older selections and have them handy when I go on the air. Then when some of the listeners whom I know real well call in, I suggest to them that they would probably enjoy a certain one of the new tunes or maybe one of the older ones I have picked, and generally they agree. So, actually, I do as much of the selecting as do the listeners.

"I believe that a D.J., while not forgetting the old tunes, should emphasize the new releases in his programming. I also believe that he should try to throw in a real peppy record at least every third tune—especially with a morning show. A D.J. should limit his chatter to a minimum on the early show and keep the show moving rapidly. In my opinion, the mood of the D.J. makes the record show."



JIM WESLEY, WGLS

pretty easy to select records for the airwaves.

"What next? I just play the new releases and wait for my listeners' response. If they like a tune, they will let me know. Then, too, I depend on the various listener surveys and reserved and artists in ports on new records and artists in magazines such as HIT PARADER. My method is really simple. I figure if I play the top songs in the country, as well as those my listeners request, and the new tunes that will be the

and the new tunes that will be the hits of tomorrow, I am pleasing most of the listeners. That's good enough for me. Pleasing everybody would be too big a job.

"Of course, I try to fit the music to the time of day, with bounce and novelties on my early-morning 'Wake Up With Wesley' show and ballads later in the day on my afternoon 'Matinee Melodies' show.

"Let's face it! Disk jockeys enjoy their work because it's easy. Why make it hard?"

PLATTER PATTER

ARE THE BANDS COMING BACK?

Here's Dave Teig, of WILK, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., with his ideas on the "band" question.

"It was a hot Saturday morning, very humid (as New York City can be), and instead of heading for Coney Island I subwayed to Times Square and towards the air-conditioned Paramount. I say towards the Paramount, because the line of patrons waiting to enter the theatre extended down 43rd Street closer to Eighth Avenue than Broadway.

"Of course I know what the reason was. That's why I was there, and I wasn't a bit surprised to discover that I would have to wait outside at least 45 minutes until I entered the lobby. I knew it was a rare treat to get to see and hear the great music of Harry James and his orchestra—and with his

Let's visit now with Bob Holczer, of WBRY, Waterbury, Conn.

"Of course, this is a question that has been asked every week since Frank Sinatra did his first solo. As far as I am concerned, I want to know 'Where did they go?'

"Bands have always been with us, but with fluctuating popularity. As yet they have not reached the extreme yet they have not reached the extreme popularity they enjoyed in the heyday of Miller, Shaw, Goodman, etc. However, an encouraging sound has been heard in the Cafe Rouge of the Statler in New York. There, a band fronted by the Dorsey Brothers is setting a new pattern in music. Strangely enough the patrons are not only the 'around 30' group who lived through the golden age of swing, but a new



BOB HOLCZER, WBRY

DAVE TEIG, WILK

huge following, it wasn't going to be

huge following, it wasn't going to be had easily.

"Once in the theatre, getting a seat was a problem during the movie, but when James came out to play it was sheer mayhem. Sitting and just listening was out of the question. The guys and gals, including myself, were in the aisles cutting the plush Paramount rugs. And, WOW, could those kids dance! Today's generation of teenagers, I'm sorry to say, can't measure up to their predecessors because they spend more time listening cause they spend more time listening to their favorite vocalists instead of dancing.

"Are the bands coming back? They're a long way from those Paramount days, but there's no reason why a new generation of high school students couldn't 'discover' that it's much more fun dancing than listening. Those kids and America's disk jockey's can help the cause tremendously.

"That's it for now. Thanks for looking in, and please be careful."

generation of youngsters who are being subjected to swing for the first

"I wouldn't be a bit surprised to see the Dorseys blossom forth from see the Dorseys blossom forth from the Cafe Rouge with enough inertia to bring back band popularity to its for-mer heights. Once that trend starts rolling, the small combos and the highly stylized 'new sound' aggrega-tion will find the sledding rough. Swing contains a lasting ingredient not found in hon progressive or 'new not found in bop, progressive, or 'new sound' concoctions.

"Flanagan tried a band revival with records alone. It failed. Sauter-Finegan and Billy May tried to make a different style stick to revive bands. They failed. But the Dorsey Brothers have a chance. They are the first musicians with the ability and knowledge to turn the trick. From the hellenges to turn the trick. From the ballroom on to the bandstand is a tough and rugged road. If anyone can do it the Dorsey Brothers can."

What You Say and How You Say It Can Make You Popular

A publisher in Chicago reports there is a simple technique of everyday conversation which can pay you real dividends in both social and business advancement and works like magic to give you added poise, self confidence and greater popularity. The details of this method are described in a fascinating booklet, "Adventures in Conversation," sent free on request.

According to this publisher, many people do not realize how much they could influence others simply by what they say and how they say it. Whether in business, at social functions, or even in casual conversations with new acquaintances, there are ways in which you can make a good impression every time you talk.

To acquaint more readers of this magazine with the easy-to-follow rules for developing skill in everyday conversation, the publishers have printed full details of their interesting self-training method in a 24-page booklet which will be mailed free to anyone who requests it. The address is: Department 1657 Conversation Studies. 835 Diversey Parkway, Chicago 14, Ill. A postcard will do.





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GEORGIA GIBBS

Kicking off her shoes, pert little Georgia Gibbs tucked her feet under

"I've had to study myself. I know just how I'm built, ('Her Nibs' is just a little over five feet tall) and just what lines are best for me—so I design my own clothes."

Her dark hair was skin-tight back to a low chignois, and her eyes were interested and alert. Lipstick was the only apparent make-up, and a big ring and earrings her only jewelry. She was wearing a trim black suit with a bright scarf at the neck.

"I study myself too, and other peo-

"I study myself, too, and other peo-ple, in order to develop my personal-

ple, in order to develop my personality. I want to put more into a song than just my voice."

Georgia lives in New York and loves it. Her fashionable little apartment is situated so that she gets a view of the city. She gets up fairly early, as her day is chock full. She gets her own breakfast and eats it while reading her fan mail. Then she is off for the day.

Off to meet her arranger, the incomparable Glen Osser, and they put in a busy hour or so. Then on to her in a busy hour or so. Then on to her dressmaker with her new sketches and swatches of materials, and for a fitting of the gown that is in the works. Lunch? Yes, a hasty cup of coffee. "But doesn't it cut down your energy not to eat anything?"

"No it doesn't even help. I am so full of energy that I can't relax even when I'm on vacation, Anyway — I have to watch my weight."

When she has a record date in the

When she has a record date in the afternoon it is a real grind, and Georgia doesn't get the bang out of it the way she does her live audience.

Every year she manages to go

abroad for a few weeks. While singing in some club to help pay her expenses, she does a lot of sightseeing to study the people, shops and customs. Georgia always checks the latest fashions and perhaps buys a piece of silk for some idea of her own. idea of her own.

idea of her own.

She sails home just when the base-ball season is really hot, as she is an avid fan. So avid, in fact, that she calls herself a frustrated shortstop.

Georgia's friends come from all over the world. Most of them are not connected with show business at all. She has an uncle and an aunt living in South Africa, and although she has never seen them, they feel that they know her because they can hear her on records. on records.

One of "Her Nibs" greatest hobbies is painting with oils. She said, "I'm not any good at all, but I get an awful" bang out of it, and it is good for me." Another hobby is to answer her fan mail, which she does—every bit of it -herself.

They were selling lilacs on the street the day we saw her. She said she loved them so.

"Maybe they are nostalgic," we suggested. "Maybe when you were a child, there was a lilac bush..."

"No," she said, "there was certainly no lilac bush connected with my childhood. It was all too grim."

Not only does Georgia not want to be poor again, but she is very am-bitious and earnest and intends to stay up there on top where her hit record-ings for Mercury, "Kiss Of Fire" and "My Sin" helped put her.

She will stay up there, too, if personality, perserverance and plain hard work have anything to do with it.

ALMOST OGDEN NASH

Who wants to wear a broken ring?
Love cannot be a halfway thing,
Love isn't love if love is small,
It is ev'rything, or nothing at all.

Almost, darling, this was almost
All the things they call most
Wonderful and right, not quite
But almost you and I had almost
Built ourselves a rainbow,
Suddenly it broke, we woke,
I see now somehow it was all too fast,
Too strange, too sweet to last
But darling, always. I'll remember
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Times when it was almost, almost love.
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WHO'S GONNA BE AT THE DOOR

When you buy meat you're gonna get bones,

And when you buy land you're gonna get stones

But you never can tell when you answer the bell

Who's gonna be at the door

When you buy trains you're gonna get wheels,

And when you buy pigs you're gonna get squeals,

But you never can tell when you answer the bell

Who's gonna be at the door
It might be a cable from Britain
Or your aunt from Atlanta G.A.
Or someone your bulldog has bitten,
Or the guy you're gonna marry some-

When you buy hens you're gonna get

When you buy frogs. you're gonna get

legs,
But you never can tell when you answer the bell

Who's gonna be at the door.

When you buy clocks you're gonna get ticks.

And when you buy mules you're gonna get kicks

But you never can tell when you answer the bell

Who's gonna be at the door

When you buy fish you're gonna get scales,

And when you buy shirts you're gonna get tails,

But you never can tell when you answer the bell

answer the bell
Who's gonna be at the door

It might be someone you owe money
Or your uncle from Pittsburgh P.A.
It might be the real Easter bunny,
Or the gal you're gonna marry someday

When you buy seeds you're gonna get crops,

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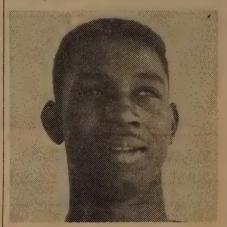
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By VIVIAN SAUFLEY

The high-light of each school year at Casa Grande Union High School, Casa Grande, Arizona, is the Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom, given by the juniors for the graduating seniors. The Promis, of course, only one of the many dances of each school year. Some of the others are the Harvest Ball, one of the few dances to which the boys are allowed to wear "Levis"; The Sweetheart Dance, when the Sweetheart Couple of the year is chosen; The Backward Dance, to which the girls ask the boys; and the Christmas Formal

The annual Junior Carnival, one of the really big events of the year, is also sponsored by the Junior Class



JAMES (Junior) TATE

The affair usually follows a football game with our closest rival. The booths for the carnival are located directly under the bleachers in the football stadium. Each class sponsors a girl and boy contestant for the title of Carnival King and Queen. The final voting and the crowning are held

final voting and the crowning are held as the climax of the carnival.

On Wednesday of each week, 45 minutes of school time is set aside for club or class meetings. The clubs at C.G. are numerous. Just a few of the outstanding ones are: Girls League and Boys Federation, National Honor Society, Quill and Scroll, Pan American Club, Future Homemakers and Future Farmers of America. Girls

Athletic Association, and Girls and

The school paper, The Cougar Growl, is published bi-weekly by the journalism class. The yearbook, The Cougar, is distributed each year at an Annual Party, where autographs of teachers and friends may be exchanged. The Tracks and Scratches is a literary collection of all outstanding work sponsored by the English Department,

The Cougars really scored into All-State positions in their favorite sports of football and basketball, This year the Cougar captain, Alfonso "Poncho" Gomez, was elected to the All-Ameri-can Prep Team, A new sport at C.G., wrestling, seems to be rapidly becom-

ing popular. The last and most memorable assembly of the school year is the Honor Assembly. This assembly is dedicated to graduating seniors, and the members of that class wear their caps and gowns to it. Some of the honors awarded at this assembly go to outstanding senior students and include standing senior students and include citizenship awards, science award and boy and girl of the year awards. Boys' and girls' staters are announced, winners of the oratorical and essay contests are announced, student council awards are presented, perfect attendance and bisheat the state of the council awards are presented. awards are presented, perfect attendance and highest grade awards are presented, and the girls' athletic awards are distributed, also, at this assembly. The boys' athletic awards are presented at the annual Father-Son Banquet.

Fads for the spring-summer season are full, can-can slips, skirts, and sleeveless blouses for the girls and short-sleeved nylon shirts and "Levis" for the boys.

The most popular records, for the moment, are: "Slowly", "Wanted", "Till Then", "Make Love To Me", "I Get So Lonely" and "Young At Heart." for the

Casa Grande's most outstanding boy is James (Junior) Tate. He is our best athlete; he excels in all four major sports (football, baseball, basketball and track); he holds the national high school record for broad jump and the Arizona state records for the 100 yard dash, the 220 yard dash, and the high jump. Junior is also a good student academically.



CASA GRANDE UNION HIGH SCHOOL

Popular RECORD REVIEW

Using the same formula that has provided them with such past successes the Gaylords come up with another Mercury platter destined for hitdom. Dubbed, "The Little Shoemaker," this Italian novelty tune is given the boys special treatment and should be up there in short order. It's done in both English and Italian, with a choral background. Overside features another cutie—also on the Latin kick—called "Mecque Mecque." Two big ones for the Gaylords. the Gaylords.

Now in his tenth year as a Capitol recording artist, Nat "King" Cole offers a pair of extra-fine waxings on his newest release, "Make Her Mine" and "I Envy." "Make Her Mine" looks like the bigger of the two, as "The King" eases through a lovely ballad with strong, moving lyrics. Nelson Riddle and the ork lend excellent support to a side that seems headed for port to a side that seems headed for the top. "I Envy" spots Nat on an-other beautiful love song in which the Cole piano touch plays a large part.

Columbia crooner Jerry Vale might have a real money-maker in his latest effort for the diskery. Using his full, rich voice to good advantage, Jerry sings out on "Go," a pretty ballad taken from a classical tune. Lush backdrop by Percy Faith gives the disc much potential. On flip Jerry delivers another strong item tagged "I'll Follow You."

The current Warner Brothers picture, "The High And The Mighty," ture, "The High And The Mighty," provides Coral recording star Johnny-Desmond with some sure fire material for a hit record. Johnny takes the theme from the movie and turns out a powerful waxing over fine orchestral arrangement by George Cates. The overside, "In God We Trust," stars Mr. "D." on a religious-type item that he really does justice to, Again the Cates ork fills in on the backdrop.

Vocal groups are getting more and more popular these days—and leading the pack are four young men known as the Hilltoppers. The prides of Dot Records, with Jimmy Sacca leading the way, latch onto the fine oldie, "Sweetheart," for their current offering and do a bang-up job. The boys have a unique way of putting over standards, and this one looks like one of their best. A pretty waltz number, of their best. A pretty waltz number, entitled "The Old Cabaret," makes up the under deck, rounding out a "hard-to-miss" platter for the crew.

The "Bad Eartha" makes good again via her newest—and possibly her most sensational—RCA Victor release. Like Eartha's past successes, the tune, dubbed "Mink Shmink," is in the sexy vein and receives that red-hot Kitt treatment. On flip, the gal sends up a warm ballad called "Easy Does It" in her usual effortless manner.

IF YOU WOULD LOVE ME **AGAIN**

TOMMY EDWARDS

I'm so alone since we drifted apart, And since you're gone, There's an ache in my heart;

Remove the pain and a new love will start,

If you would love me again. Altho' I've tried holding somebody

No one can thrill me the way that you do;

I'd spend the rest of my life loving you,

If you would love me again. There's no one that can take your place,

For I'm still under your spell, The mem'ry of you I can't erase. I remember ev'rything so well. Say that someday you'll come back to

It's you alone that I'm longing to see; Oh, what a wonderful world this will

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(Shrine Of Love)
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JOSE PADILLA CHAS. E. WILKINSON Wind swirled along the highway When first we met, I remember yet, As you came riding by, Pride shone in every eye, There came a thrilling cry "El Toreador!"

You smiled so gladly, I loved you madly,

Yet listened sadly my Matador. Brightly your eyes gleamed in smiles above me,

It was my dream someday, you would love me,

And your first greeting, gently entreating,

Set my heart beating, as you said low:

My cape I'm spreading, where you are treading,

Grace it for me, with a footstep free, As the winds above.

'Twill be the token, of love unspoken, My cape shall be, evermore to me, Mem'ry's shrine of love.

Wind blew on the arena when first we met,

I remember yet,

Your fight was brave to see,

But fear was over me,

Wind was your enemy my Toreador! Your cape up flying, I saw you lying, I saw you dying, my Matador.

Then in your dark eyes so deep and tender,

I seemed to recognize, love's surrender, And you last greeting, gently entreating,

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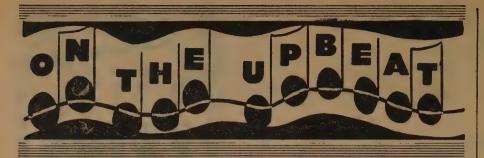


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Young Bill Haley has conquered two big fields in the music world. He first gained a name for himself in the Hill-billy and Country music department, and lately he has come into his own in the Popular music vein. In fact, it seems that Bill has been winning friends with his music since the day his mom brought a toy guitar home for him at the age of seven. Since then it's been music, music and more music for this youngster

Bill first organized a Western group.

Bill first organized a Western group called the "Texas Range Riders," then went to Hartford, Conn., with the "Downhomers," and finally out to Pennsylvania with another group he called the "Saddlemen." Bill suddenly decided to enter the pop field, so it was another group called the "Comets" that he brought to the Essex Recording Company to audition. They did a little bit of "Crazy Man Crazy." and they were made.

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BILL HALEY

England lost a very fine singer, and America gained a fine voice when Alan Dean came over to our shores a few years ago. Since that time Alan has made a wonderful name for himself playing all the smart night clubs and theaters across the country and making some very pretty sides for MGM Records.

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Alan's first big song for MGM was "Luna Rose," which hit the top ten days after Alan recorded it upon first reaching the States. On the strength of this record, Alan was costarred with Joni James on a nation-wide tour. Since that time he has been a constant seller on the label, and he is ranked as one of the best singers in the game today. the game today.

Alan was born in England and has lived most of his life there. He trained for a singing career from an early age, and before he left the Continent had established quite a record for personal appearances. For the record he's tops.



HARVEY NORMAN

A great new voice has been added to the MGM label with the signing of 19-year-old Harvey Norman. Harvey possesses a fine baritone voice and is a good looking youngster who stands 5'9" and weighs a compact 160 pounds.

Harvey was born in Brooklyn and later moved to New Jersey. He was a star quarterback in high school, but turned down many scholarships to learn about his dad's frozen food business. He enrolled at a small school, played ball for a while and was encouraged to take up coaching—until the school heard him sing the school heard him sing

Harvey entertained at all school functions and decided to hit the show business trail. He left school and started his career in the Catskill Mountains, the jumping-off spot for many great entertainers. He worked hard, saved some money and went to New York for voice lessons. That's where MGM heard him and signed him up. Harry's first record for the yellow and black label is "By My Side" and "A Dim Cafe."



ALAN DEAN

WOW

RONNIE GAYLORD

Oop oo-wop oo-wah Oop oo-wop oo-wah wow! But the moon is brite tonite Ooh let's pitch some woo! mmm wow! If you hold me tight tonite Ev'ry care will shoo Honey talk dovey talk baby talk lovey

Be my inspiration and in between conversation

Won't it be sweet when our lips They meet in a warm sensation wow! But the moon is brite tonite Ooh let's pitch some woo! mmm wow

Let's pitch some woo mmm wow Ooh ev'ry care will shoo Woo mmm let's pitch some woo mm Baby let's pitch some wo-oo wow!
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A THOUSAND AND ONE **NIGHTS**

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You will find an ocean of my devotion

My darling wait and see:

A thousand and one nights I'll be with you

A thousand and one dreams will all come true

The story will unfold and we will share

The glory of untold romances there And if my caravan of love Upon its journey should ever stray Gazing high above

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Will guide me to a thousand and one nights with you.

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GOING — GOING — GONE

JOAN WHITNEY ALEX KRAMER What am I bid for an old guitar, My love once played upon? All of the songs that he used to sing, Are going, going, gone. What am I bid for a wishing star That I once wished upon? Now I've no use for a wishing star, Going, going, gone. So take my guitar and wish on my

Perhaps you'll do better than I? I loved and I lost the love of my life And I must make my heart say

goodbye. What am I bid for the golden sand I built my castles on? All of the dreams that I dreamed were mine

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SAMMY GALLOP PHIL SPRINGER

JOAN JAVITS

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Why didn't you tell me

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Isn't the music kind of 'sweet to your

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THE SENTIMENTAL TRAIN

GUY WOOD CARROLL LUCAS Goin' back home in mem'ries today I close my eyes and I'm on the way Dreams are the fare that's all that I

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thing when I'm blue Livin' again all the wonderful days that I knew

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